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DEVICE AND METHOD FOR PRODUCT-RELATED

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 25, 2009, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks, along with a one-month Petition for Extension of Time and the requisite fees. A response was due for filing within three months, namely, by September 25, 2009. The one-month extension of time will bring the response due on October 25, 2009. Since October 25, 2009 is a Sunday, this Amendment is timely filed on Monday, October 26, 2009.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

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